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SPEAKER CLARK STAR WITNESS BEFORE LOBBY PROBE

Missouri Denies Acquaintance With Lamar; Met Eddie Lauterbach Once and Only Casually.

WOOL MANUFACTURERS PRODUCE STATEMENT

Secretary of Association Unable to Account for Twenty Thousand Dollar Fund of Several Years.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—When the senate committee met today, Winthrop L. Marvin, secretary of the National Association of Wool Manufacturers put in a synopsis of a statement showing the financial operations of the association. He was questioned about a special \$20,000 fund raised several years ago. He said he had no record of how the fund was collected or disbursed.

William Whitman, former president of the association then explained a \$2,000 gift made to S. N. D. North, secretary of the association in 1907 and a clerk to the majority members of the senate finance committee. The gift was made after the Dingley bill had passed congress.

Speaker Clark made a statement relating to the use of his name by David Lamar and Edward Lauterbach. He testified he had never had anything to do with Lamar, Lauterbach or any of the men mentioned by them.

J. P. Morgan, he said, he saw at a children's dinner in Washington several years ago, at which former President Roosevelt and former Senator Foraker engaged in a joint debate. "It was the hottest debate ever heard in this country," said the speaker.

Speaker Clark put in this statement: "Ledyard says that Lauterbach told him that he was in communication with me through Senator Stone. Lauterbach, who acknowledged on the witness stand that he had lied, said that Lamar gave him the information, Lamar confessed the whole tale was a lie to force Morgan & Co. to take Lauterbach back into their employ. All of them disclaim any acquaintance or communication with me."

"Senator Stone justly and properly characterized the Lamar-Lauterbach tale as a lie in which he was entirely correct. He said I never in our lives conversed about or in any way mentioned to each other Morgan & Co. or the Steel trust investigation."

"I never spoke to J. Pierpont Morgan or any member of his firm in my life; never communicated with him or them in any manner whatsoever; never authorized anybody else to do so. I was to my best knowledge and belief never introduced even casually to him or any of them. To my best knowledge and belief I never saw any of them except Mr. Morgan himself and that was across the large dining room of the New Willard at a grill-iron club banquet."

"I was several years ago introduced to Lauterbach here in Washington in the presence of several gentlemen and passed the usual salutations with him. That was all. I never saw him before or since and never communicated with him in any manner whatsoever about any business matter whatsoever."

"I had never heard of Lamar and knew only by seeing his name in the papers that there is such a man as Lewis Cass Ledyard. It seems to me that when Mr. Ledyard found out that Senator Stone's name and mine were being bandied about by Lamar, the pseudo-Palmer, and Lauterbach, he ought to have let me know."

"The speaker was not sworn and the committee did not ask him any questions. He left the room when he finished reading his statement."

Whitman was questioned about the \$2,000 gift to North, an incident that attracted nationwide attention when it was first disclosed several years ago. He said the gift in a letter to North dated Boston, September 27, 1907, signed by himself, George Stokes, Benjamin Phillips, James Phillips, Jr., and Rufus Greeley. It set out that at a meeting of a few members of the National association "unanimous expression" developed in favor of presenting to North "some substantial testimonial in recognition of your past services to the association and the woolen industry of the country."

"It was then went on to say that a draft for \$2,000 was enclosed and concluded: "This is a voluntary and cheerful expression of their appreciation of your work and of the high regard in which you are held."

"While I looked upon the presentation of that sum to Mr. North as a proper recognition of his services," said Whitman, "no thought had ever entered into my mind before Mr. Phillips came to me about making such a presentation. When Mr. North left the association later in 1903 it made him another presentation in recognition of his faithful work. It was in the form of a silver service."

Senator Walsh read into the record a copy of what purported to be a letter

THIRTEEN HOODOO TOY PISTOL FIRED NICK CARTER REAL HUMAN TIGER PAYS MARTIN STARTS ON FEDERALS CHARGE

STAR WITNESS BEFORE LOBBY PROBE

Country Devastated by Worst Storm Since 1813; Superstitious Peasants See Evil Augury in Coincidence.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Rome, July 11.—A terrific storm is raging throughout Italy and in many places the country has been devastated and the crops destroyed. It is accompanied by remarkably cold weather for this time of the year, the temperature in Rome today falling below 50 degrees. Such weather in the middle of July has not been recorded in Italy since the year 1813 when superstitious persons attributed it to the repetition of the No. 13.

TEMPERATURE DROPS TO NEAR FREEZING AT NAPLES

Naples, July 11.—Extraordinary falls of rain and hail have flooded the surrounding country for the last two days. Torrents of water mixed with mud and ashes from Vesuvius have inundated the villages along the Gulf of Turin. Owing to a strong cold wind from the north, accompanied by hurricanes, the temperature today fell almost to freezing. Snow is reported to have fallen in the Alps.

ENORMOUS DAMAGE TO CROPS NEAR MESSINA

Messina, July 11.—A violent tempest in the vicinity of the Straits of Messina accompanied by heavy rainfall had caused enormous damage in this region. Crops have been destroyed and floods have compelled the population to leave the huts in which they have been living since the great earthquake of a few years ago.

COMMISSION OFFERS TO SELL CANAL MACHINERY

Mammoth Cranes Used for Millions of Yards of Cement Have Served Their Purpose.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—Indicative of the approach of the opening of the Panama canal is the notice today by the canal commission that the giant steel cranes used in placing the 2,500,000 cubic yards of concrete in the great locks are soon to be offered for sale. The locks now are practically completed and the small quantity of concrete to be placed is to go into corners beyond the reach of cranes.

ter from North to Seneca Payne under date of December 3, 1908. It read:

"Following my return to Boston after the passage of the tariff bill the officers of the National Wool Manufacturers' association informed me that in recognition of arduous and responsible work I had performed for the committee and the serious injury to my health which had resulted from an assignment entirely apart from my duties as secretary of the association, they believed I had been underpaid and accordingly as an expression of their personal good will and regard they presented me with the sum of \$5,000. Shortly afterward my salary was increased from \$4,000 to \$6,000 a year."

Senator Walsh also had read into the record a letter from Whitman to former Senator Aldrich written about ten years ago, urging the selection of North as director of the proposed census bureau because the speeches of the director of that bureau, Carroll D. Wright, had been "populist and probably prejudicial in favor of labor."

In another letter praising North and suggesting appointment, addressed to Senator Allison, Whitman expressed the view that Wright was biased in favor of labor and that North was not.

FEDERAL GRAND JURY INVESTIGATES LAMAR

New York, July 11.—The federal grand jury continued its investigation today into the case of David Lamar under that section of the United States statutes which provides punishment for the impersonation of an officer or employee of the government.

The first witnesses examined today were George F. Baker, chairman of the First National bank and J. Sergeant Cram, a lawyer prominent in Tammany circles. Both were mentioned in testimony before the lobby committee in connection with the activities of Lamar and Lauterbach relative to the investigation of the United States Steel corporation by the Stanley committee.

Automobiles Brave Rain

Minneapolis, July 11.—In a heavy down pour of rain twenty-eight cars left here today in the American Automobile association's reliability run to Glacier Park.

N BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS

ENOUGH TO FIGURE IN LAW SUIT

Suffragettes Start Near Panic in Venerable Legislative Body; Pamphlets Showered on Timid Members.

PERPETRATORS HUSTLED AWAY TO DURANCE VILE

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
London, July 11.—The report of a pistol fired from the strangers' gallery in the house of commons today accompanied by a yell of "justice for women" caused a panic among the members in session.

Simultaneously with the report a shower of pamphlets rained down on the members. They bore the printed words, "votes for women." Two persons pointed out as the perpetrators of the outrage were hustled from the gallery and detained pending investigation. It was discovered later that the weapon was merely a toy pistol. A number of toy mouse traps satirizing the "cat and mouse act" reached the members wrapped in the pamphlets thrown from the gallery.

MILITANT SUFFRAGETTES SMASH STORE WINDOWS

Liverpool, July 11.—Militant suffragettes started a window smashing demonstration during King George's visit here today. Squads of women shattered several large windows along the route of the procession, but the police rounded them up and order had been restored before his majesty's arrival.

TARIFF BILL READY FOR REPORT TO SENATE

Three Months and Four Days After Beginning of Extra Session Measure Is Finally Drafted.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—The senate has now proceeded to the business for which President Wilson called the extra session of congress—revision of the tariff.

Today, three months and four days after the special session began, Chairman Simmons of the finance committee was authorized to report the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill. The measure was passed upon in committee by a strict party vote, Republicans voting against it.

The committee agreed that general debate on the bill should begin next Wednesday but that Senator McCumber be permitted to deliver a general argument against it next Monday as he is to leave Washington that night. The majority and minority were given five days in which to file reports. Besides the general minority report there was a separate report by Senator La Follette.

When the senate convened later the bill was formally reported by Mr. Simmons who announced the agreement for debate in sessions from 12 o'clock noon until 5 p. m. Later it is the purpose to hold longer sessions to complete debate in five weeks if possible.

WAR SECRETARY TO TOUR ARMY POSTS

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—Secretary Garrison today announced the itinerary of his trip for inspection of army posts. Leaving Washington next Wednesday with Major General Leonard Wood, chief of staff, and Major General James B. Aleshaire, chief of quartermaster corps, Secretary Garrison will visit first, Atlanta, Ga., after which his itinerary will include the following: Fort Huachuca, Ariz., and Tucson, Ariz., July 25; Los Angeles, July 26; San Diego, July 27; Castroville, Cal., July 29; Monterey, July 29; San Francisco, July 31; Portland, Ore., August 2; Tacoma, Wash., August 3; Seattle, August 4; Spokane, August 5; Missoula, Mont., August 7; Helena, Mont., August 8; Billings, Mont., August 9; Sheridan, Wyo., August 11; Eugene, O., August 12; Deadwood, S. D., August 13; Crawford, S. D., August 14; Cheyenne, Wyo., August 15; Neb., Alliance, Neb., August 15; Denver, Aug. 17; Fort Riley, Kan., August 18; Omaha, Neb., August 20 and 21.

Presidential Nominations

Washington, July 11.—President Wilson today sent the following nominations to the senate: Ambassador to Germany, James W. Gerard, of New York; minister to Spain, Joseph E. Willard, of Virginia; deputy commissioner of pensions, Edward C. Tieman, of Missouri.

DIME NOVEL PRODUCERS OBJECT TO USE OF SMALL BOY'S HERO BY MOVING PICTURE PRODUCER.

CRIMINAL WHO ESCAPED GALLOWES FOR MURDER OF TWO MEN IS FINALLY HANGED FOR SIMPLE ASSAULT ON CONVICT.

FIRST TO SUFFER UNDER UNIQUE CALIFORNIA LAW

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—"Nick Carter," the hero of many a "yellow-back" novel and worshiped by three generations of small boys, is to be considered by the supreme court. "Nick" was about to appear on the moving picture stage when a New York firm of publishers today claimed that Nick Carter was born in their imagination about twenty-three years ago and had risen to fame as a leading character in the detective stories. A St. Louis moving picture film company believed that "Nick" was destined to be a drawing card and at they prepared and advertised a "Detective" film with an attractive title. In their advertisement they declared "We have struck oil, brook." The matter got in the courts. The New York firm claimed the moving picture company was infringing the trade mark they possessed on Nick Carter. After going through the federal court of appeals for the sixth circuit the matter was appealed by the publishing concern to the supreme court.

GOVERNOR OF HAVANA CONVICTED OF HOMICIDE

Plea of Constitutional Immunity Fails to Save Slayer of Police Chief; Popular Excitement Intense.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Havana, July 11.—Fear of popular excitement following the conviction of General Ernesto Ascher, governor of Havana province, for homicide in connection with the death of General Riva, caused the government to take rigorous precautions against the possibility of an outbreak.

EDUCATORS FIGHT FOR NEXT N. E. A. CONVENTION

East and Middle West Line Up Force Respectively for Atlantic City and Saint Paul.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Salt Lake, Utah, July 11.—East and Middle West aligned their forces into two camps at the National Education association convention today in an effort to locate the next convention either at St. Paul or Atlantic City. Although numerous department sessions were held, chief attention was focused on this campaign.

The convention ends tonight, but the board of directors will not meet until tomorrow to select the convention cities for the next two years. Oakland, which is practically assured of the 1915 convention, is remaining neutral in the 1914 contest.

At the annual luncheon of American School Peace league board of directors today, Governor Spry of Utah, United States Commissioner of Education Clayton and others discussed bringing about universal disarmament. The department of higher education elected the following officers:

C. A. Dunaway, University of Wyoming, President.
Wm. D. Will Hyde, Bowdoin college, vice president.
Nathaniel Butler, University of Chicago, secretary.

The department of child hygiene elected Wm. C. Bagley, University of Chicago; Helen C. Putnam, Providence, R. I., vice president; L. L. Hynes, Crawfordsville, Ind., secretary.

JACK LONDON UNDERGOES APPENDICITIS OPERATION

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Oakland, Cal., July 11.—Reports of the condition of Jack London, the author, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, indicate steady improvement. He is resting easier today than at any time since he was taken ill.

Sheepmen and Cattlemen Organize

La Junta, Colo., July 11.—One hundred and fifty representative cattle and sheep growers of southeastern Colorado organized the Arkansas Valley Stock Growers and Feeders association here today. Railroad rates, taxes and corn inspection were the subjects of prolonged discussions.

GRIM PENALTY FOR MANY CRIMES

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(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Sacramento, Cal., July 11.—Jacob Oppenheimer, whom criminologists have termed one of America's most extraordinary convicts, was hanged at Folsom prison this morning. Though he had killed two men, it was not for murder that Oppenheimer gave up his life. His crime was an attack on a fellow prisoner, and he is said to have been the first case in this country of a felon being executed for simple assault.

Oppenheimer when a messenger boy of 14 tried to kill his superintendent and was given a workhouse sentence. Soon after he was released he was convicted of robbing and sent to Folsom prison for fifty years. A man named Ross, who had been the principal witness for the prosecution, later was himself sent to prison. Oppenheimer met him at the gate and murdered him. For that crime Oppenheimer's sentence was lengthened to life imprisonment and he was transferred to San Quentin. There he attacked a guard and later a fellow prisoner and for the latter assault he was sentenced to death under the California law, enacted in 1907, making an attack by a convict on a guard or fellow prisoner a capital offense. Fourteen of his eighteen years' in prison Oppenheimer spent in solitary confinement. An enemy, Francisco Quilada, a murderer awaiting execution, used the prison "telegraph"—taps on the cell walls—to taunt the inmate of the dungeon. Oppenheimer, nursing his wrath, managed to procure an old file, and as he sharpened the file on the stone walls, he would leave off to tap to Quilada: "I'll get you yet, you—"

One day Quilada was led past Oppenheimer's cell. Quick as thought, Oppenheimer's arm shot through the bars and his file pierced his enemy's head. After that Oppenheimer was known as the "human tiger."

Oppenheimer's attorneys had fought desperately for six years to save him. Three times the case was taken to the United States supreme court. Oppenheimer met death snatching. His last request was that the women of California keep up the fight for the abolishment of capital punishment.

STRIKE FUNDS USED BY GRAFTERS IS CHARGE

Massachusetts Attorney General Makes Serious Allegations Against Industrial Worker of World.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Boston, July 11.—Allege by industrial workers of the world of funds contributed for the relief of the strike struggle at Lawrence, is alleged by William Trautman of Chicago in an affidavit filed with the supreme court in his own defense today.

Industrial Workers of the World, members who needed bail money and a newspaper man, are among those alleged to have been benefited.

Trautman, Joseph Bodard and Joseph Shales composed the strikers' relief committee and are accused by the attorney general of having used \$15,000 of the fund for purposes other than for what it was intended. In his affidavit Trautman says that he never handled the funds and that many payments were made without the consent or knowledge of the committee and for which none of the three should be held liable.

Husband Too Economical

Oakland, Cal., July 11.—Mrs. Anita McCaughy, daughter of the late E. J. (Lucky) Baldwin and beneficiary under his will to the amount of \$150,000 of his estate, was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from Hull McCaughy on the ground of cruelty. McCaughy made no defense.

The plaintiff testified that she and her husband quarreled so often over the cost of living as a result of his economical ideas that her health became impaired. They were married in Carson City, Nev., in 1900.

The custody of the two children of the McCaughys is to be shared by both parents, according to the terms of an agreement reached out of court. It was stated informally by the attorneys that Mrs. McCaughy made a settlement of \$300,000 upon her former husband.

FAIR WEATHER ATTENDS RESUMPTION OF RACE FROM CHICAGO TO DETROIT BY WAY OF LAKE MICHIGAN AND HURON.

CHIEF OF POLICE DEPARTS FOR MANY MILE FLIGHT

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(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Chicago, July 11.—Glenn L. Martin, after many delays, left Chicago in his hydro-aeroplane at 7:50 this morning on the 900-mile race around the lakes to Detroit, Martin, a Los Angeles flyer, was accompanied by Charles Day, also of Los Angeles.

He made a pretty start and took the air quickly. He planned to dip into the harbor at Michigan City, to touch at South Haven and to make Macatawa Beach over a course of 150 miles by night.

Havens Leaves for Manila

Manila, P. I., July 11.—Blackwell Havens left here at 3:25 this morning on his flight to Manila. His departure was made easily. Francis also got away from South Haven early in the morning and he stopped here for a few minutes after Havens had left. Francis left here at 8:15 and proceeded north to catch Havens.

ROOSEVELT SPENDS NIGHT AT CAT CANYON

Colonel Leaves for Albuquerque After Reception at Silver City; Here Early Tomorrow Morning.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Silver City, N. M., July 11.—After a night in Cat canyon with his cousin, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt left today for Deming, N. M., by auto, to take the train for Albuquerque and the Grand Canyon. A reception was given him in Silver City this morning.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT TO REACH HERE TOMORROW

Accompanied by his sons, Colonel Roosevelt will arrive in Albuquerque from the southern part of the state at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. The Roosevelts will likely remain in their drawing room in the Pullman car until 7 o'clock, at which time they will go to the Alvarado and occupy the rooms reserved for them. The Colonel and the boys will leave for the Grand Canyon on the Santa Fe limited at 11:25. No demonstration in honor of the Colonel has been arranged, but it is likely that he will hold an informal reception at some hour tomorrow morning to great local friends.

CONSUL AT CANANEA INCURS ENMITY OF FALL AND SMITH

Luckless Man Called Upon to Answer Charges Preferred By New Mexico and Arizona Senator.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—Secretary Bryan has called upon Charles L. Montague, American consular agent at Cananea, to answer charges transmitted to the state department through Senator Fall of New Mexico, and Senator Smith of Arizona, of meddling with the political situation in Mexico. Montague's superior, Consul Simpich, also has been called on to report the case. News dispatches have stated that Montague incurred the displeasure of the Mexican state officials of Cananea by refusing to cash drafts in his capacity as cashier of an American banking company.

CHARITIES CONFERENCE DISCUSSES PROBLEMS

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Seattle, Wash., July 11.—Mayor Cottrell of Seattle led the discussion today in the round table of the "Public Supervision and Administration" section meeting of the National Conference of Charities and Correction. The section meeting on "Standards of Labor and Living" discussed the operation of minimum wage laws, the speakers including Mrs. Florence Kelley of New York and the Rev. Edwin V. O'Hara of Portland, Ore. Miss Margaret F. Brynning, of the Russell Sage Foundation and Miss Harriet E. Anderson, of Louisville, Ky., addressed the "Families and Neighborhoods" meeting.

NEW INSTRUCTION FOR MILITIA OFFICERS

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Washington, July 11.—Militia officers no longer may attend the partisan schools of the regular army, for Secretary Garrison has directed the discontinuance of these special courses, inaugurated in 1905, because they legislation provides better methods of instruction.

By a system of detail of what are known as inspector-instructors all the officers of the militia who are privileged to obtain not only theoretical but practical training.

AMERICANS WITH AIDING REBELS IN MEXICO

NEWSPAPERS LOUDLY PROCLAIM THAT CONSULS AND EVEN COMMANDERS OF UNITED STATES WARSHIPS ARE BIAISED.

SEARCHLIGHTS LIGHT UP GUAYMAS DEFENSES

Claim Made That they Were Deliberately Turned on City, to Assist Gunners in Bombardment.

(By Leased Wire to Evening Herald.)
Mexico City, July 11.—Much space is devoted today by the newspapers here to articles in support of charges that American citizens are aiding the rebels. Alleged specific instances are given, the material for which in just at least has been supplied from official sources.

The official correspondence is given in the case of Jesse R. Johnson, United States consul at Matamoros, whom Elias the Mexican inspector of consuls, charges with attempting to induce several troops to join the rebels who had captured that town. Elias also accuses Frank Bata, whose probable appointment as port collector at Laredo, Texas, was recently under discussion.

The charge is brought that an American warship at Guaymas threw its searchlights on the city during the recent fighting, thus enabling the rebels to take better aim.

Another charge is that the wireless stations at Turpan and Tampico which are operated by Americans were used by the consul at Tampico to supply the movements of the federal army to the rebels while during the battle at Neco, it is asserted, Americans informed that a shipment of supplies for the rebels was being sent, indicating the rebels to hasten their attack so as to obtain possession of the shipment. It is also charged that the Eighteenth United States cavalry while on patrol duty aided the rebels in their attack.

El Pais makes the greatest display of these charges which fill seven columns. The newspaper insinuates that the public should recognize the danger of an American invasion in Mexico.

FEDERAL REINFORCEMENTS FOR GUAYMAS GARRISON

Guaymas, Mex., July 11.—Official dispatches received here today from Mexico City state that Colonel General Garmas has disembarked at Guaymas, Sonora, with reinforcements for the General Francisco Garmas, who has been holding the port for two weeks against rebel assaults.

ROUGH RIDER REIMMENT TO RESCUE PRISONER

Laredo, Tex., July 11.—The five Americans held prisoners by constitutionalists at Hidalgo, Mexico, are being taken to the Texas border, are from well known Texas families. Threats of organizing a "rough rider" regiment to cross the border to release them have been made.

American Consul Garrett at Hidalgo was today negotiating for their release. Cattle, horses and other property of the prisoners was reported confiscated.

Their offenses were said to have been trading with Huerta sympathizers. Those under arrest are Robert, Arthur and Ashton Hasselberg, Isaac Cade and William Handolph.

Monclova Captured, Rumor

Enlie Pass, Tex., July 11.—Confirmation that constitutionalists and not federalists won the battle at Cananea July 7 and 8 reached here today when a special train on route to Piedras Negras passed through here carrying 15 federal prisoners and 15 federal and constitutionalists wounded.

Constitutionalist guards on this train reported that yesterday the federalists returned the attack at Cananea. The attacking party commanded by General Mads had made forced marches from Reata, shelling Cananea in the absence of Governor Carranza, constitutionalist commander-in-chief. He hurried back and Mads' command retreated about twelve miles.

Rumor's reached here today that the federalists have captured Monclova, a constitutional stronghold in this section of northern Mexico. Constitutional officers at Piedras Negras refused to discuss the rumor.

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